

# Digging for Clues Mysteries with Archaeologists & Anthropologists

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## Margot Arnold

• Penny Spring and Sir Toby Glendower: 60-something archaeologists, in Cambridge, England

#### Aileen Baron

• Lily Sampson: young American graduate student archaeologist, in late 1930s and early 1940s Jerusalem and Morocco

#### **Jefferson Bass**

• Dr. Bill Brockton: forensic anthropologist in Tennessee

#### Simon Beckett

• Dr. David Hunter: forensic anthropologist in England

#### Dana Cameron

• Emma Fielding: an archaeologist

#### Lillian Stewart Carl

• Garden of Thorns: Mark Owen and Hilary Chase, who met at the excavation of a medieval Scottish priory, get back together in Fort Worth, Texas

## Agatha Christie

• Murder in Mesopotamia: Hercule Poirot becomes involved in the murder of the wife of an American archaeologist at an excavation in the Iraqi desert

## **Barbara Cleverly**

• Leatitia Talbot: archaeologist based in post-WWI France

## **Beverly Connor**

- Lindsay Chamberlain: forensic archaeologist at the University of Georgia, in Athens, Georgia
- Diane Fallon: forensic anthropologist, museum director and reluctant detective

## Val Davis (Robert & Angie Irvine)

• Nicolette Scott: archaeologist in the southwestern USA

### **Aaron Elkins**

• Gideon Oliver: anthropology professor in Port Angeles, Washington

#### Kate Ellis

• Detective Sergeant Wesley Peterson: amateur archaeologist

## Mary Anna Evans

 Faye Longchamp: black archaeology student digging up artifacts for the black market on her plantation on North Florida's Gulf Coast

# Kathleen O'Neal Gear and W. Michael Gear

• Anasazi series with Dr. Maureen Cole: a Canadian Indian forensic anthropologist

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## Lyn Hamilton

• Lara McClintoch: Toronto antique dealer solving archaeological mysteries

#### Jamie Harrison

• Jules Clement: archaeologist turned sheriff, in Blue Deer, Montana

#### Erin Hart

• Cormac Maguire: Irish archaeologist, and Nora Gavin, an American pathologist, in Ireland

#### Corson Hirschfeld

• Digger Fitz: Hawaiian archaeologist

## Iris Johansen

• Eve Duncan: forensic sculptor

## **Roy Lewis**

· Arnold Landon: archaeologist

# Jim Kelly

• The Moon Tunnel: At the scene of an archaeological dig searching for buried Anglo-Saxon treasure on the site of a former POW camp, journalist Philip Dryden is stunned when excavators uncover the skeletal remains of a much more recent corpse

# Sharyn McCrumb

• Elizabeth MacPherson: forensic anthropologist in southern USA

#### Rett MacPherson

 Victory (Torie) O'Shea: genealogist in New Kassel, Missouri

#### **Elizabeth Peters**

• Amelia Peabody: Victorian feminist Egyptologist from Kent, England

## Douglas J. Preston

- Margo Green: museum curator and anthropological expert (Agent Pendergast series)
- Nora Kelly: archaeologist (Agent Pendergast series)

## Kathy Reichs

• Temperance Brennan: forensic anthropologist in the Province of Quebec, Canada, and Charlotte, North Carolina

# **Mary Saums**

• Jane Thistle: erstwhile archaeologist

#### Sarah R. Shaber

• Simon Shaw: history professor and 'forensic historian'

#### Carol Thurston

• The Eye of Horus: A complicated mystery thriller that weaves alternative history set in ancient Egypt with forensic archaeology from the present.